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## **CHICAGO MAN RECEIVES FOUR YEARS FOR DEALING COCAINE**

Madison, Wisconsin -- Erik C. Peterson, United States Attorney for the Western District of Wisconsin, announced that Andre Bauswell, a/k/a "Law," DOB: 6/14/78, of Chicago, Illinois, was sentenced on August 29 by Chief U.S. District Judge Barbara B. Crabb to 46 months in prison for distribution of cocaine.

The charges against Bauswell were the result of an investigation conducted by the Dane County Narcotics and Gang Task Force, the Drug Enforcement Administration, and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives.

United States Attorney Peterson stated that, "The United States Attorney's Office, working with District Attorneys, will continue to target drug offenders and hold them accountable. It is our goal to change the equation – to make dealers understand that if they sell drugs here they will serve significant prison terms."

The prosecution of the case has been handled by Assistant U.S. Attorney Timothy M. O'Shea.

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